

July 27, 2009

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	
Andreas Hefel)	Art unit: 1655
Serial No. 10/595,684)	
Filed: May 4, 2006)	Examiner: Mi, Qiuwen
Title: GALACTOMANNANS AND/OR)	
GLUCOMANNANS FOR INCREASING)	Conf. No.: 7978
THE BIOAVAILABILITY OF ACTIVE)	
SUBSTANCES)	Atty. ref.: RBL0109-01

RESPONSE

In response to the office action mailed January 26, 2009, reconsideration is requested. A three-month extension of time for response (July 26, 2009, was a Sunday) is hereby requested. Please amend the subject application as follows.